



PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)
(Small Entity)

Docket No.
313449-P0009

In Re Application Of: **Frampton Ellis**

Application No. 09/669,730	Filing Date September 26, 2000	Examiner Dung Dinh	Customer No. 50-3266	Group Art Unit 5626	Confirmation No.
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Invention: **INTERNAL FIREWALL FOR A PERSONAL COMPUTER TO DENY ACCESS BY A NETWORK TO A USER'S SECURE PORTION (As Amended)**

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of July 28, 2004 in the above-identified application.
Date

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

One month Two months Three months Four months Five months

from: October 28, 2004 *Date* until: January 28, 2005 *Date*

Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

The fee for the extension of time is **\$510** and is to be paid as follows:

- A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
- The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-3266.
- If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No.

Signature

Dated: **January 28, 2005**

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I certify that this document and fee is being deposited on **January 28, 2005** with the U.S. Postal Service as first class mail under 37 C.F.R. 1.8 and is addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

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